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## **Dateline DEA**

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### **Massive Black Market Peso Exchange Money Laundering Takedown**

Over \$16.5 million in cash and drugs were seized and arrests made in the United States and Colombia in a coordinated international money laundering investigation of Colombian criminal organizations that laundered millions of Colombian drug dollars through the sophisticated Black Market Peso Exchange, an illegal currency exchange system.

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### **Significant Ecstasy Trafficking Organization Dismantled**

DEA and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police announced the indictment of members of a criminal organization that since 2005 had smuggled more than a quarter of a million Ecstasy pills from Canada into the United States for distribution.

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## **Jungle Junkies Indicted in New York**

Thirty gang members of the "Jungle Junkies" gang who had been dealing in crack cocaine and marijuana in Albany since 1999 were charged with RICO conspiracy, drug distribution, and gang enhancement.

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## **Baltimore Pharmacy Employees Indicted for Illegal Hydrocodone Distribution, Money Laundering**

A federal grand jury indicted four defendants for conspiring to illegally distribute at least eight million dosage units of hydrocodone, and conspiracy to commit money laundering.

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## **"Star of Distinction" Awarded in Chicago for DEA's "Target America" Museum Exhibit**

The Chicago Crime Commission recognized DEA's "Target America: Opening Eyes to the Danger Drugs Cause" exhibit at Chicago's Museum for Science and Industry by awarding the agency one of its 2006 "Stars of Distinction." The CCC recognizes outstanding individual and organizational contributions in fighting crime through its Stars program.

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### **Did you know?**

DEA has a new on-line magazine for teens, *Stumbleweed*, that presents marijuana information in a straightforward way.

[Click here to link to the new publication](#)